



## Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission 2000 Fiscal Impact Review

**Bill Number:** SB600 as Introduced  
**Review Requested By:** Senator Chichester  
**Chairman of:** Senate Finance

### **Concur**

JLARC Staff concur with the fiscal impact statement referred for review

### **Concur with Reservations**

With the reservations noted below, JLARC staff concur with the fiscal impact statement referred for review

### **X Non-Concur**

As noted below, JLARC staff do not concur with the fiscal impact statement referred for review.

### **Bill Summary**

Allows juvenile substance abuse assessment to be done by qualified employees of agencies under contract to the Department of Juvenile Justice. The word "direct" is deleted so that employees qualified to conduct assessments have to be under the supervision of a certified substance abuse counselor but not under the direct supervision of such counselor. Allows a pretrial services agency to request a person charged with a crime to submit to drug or alcohol screening or take a breath test for the presence of alcohol.

### **Fiscal Implications**

Because SB 600 was amended into SB 153, the JLARC review of the fiscal impact of SB 600 is included in the review of SB 153. Therefore, please refer to the JLARC Fiscal Impact Review of SB 153.

### **Budget Amendment Necessary**

No.

### **Agencies Affected**

Corrections - Department of

**Date Released, Prepared By:** 02/21/2000; Walter Smiley

JLARC Staff offer the above Fiscal Impact Review in Accordance with Item 16K of Chapter 935 (1999 Acts of Assembly). JLARC Fiscal Impact Reviews do not comment on the merits of the bill under review.